

**GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT**

Public Works- Reforms in Public Works Department- Standardisation and Stream of
Sanctioning and Tendering Procedure – Registration of Contracts – Orders – Issued.

IRRIGATION & CAD (PW-COD) DEPT

G.O. Ms. No. 178

Dated. 27-9-1997.

Read the following.

1. G.O. Ms. No. 321, Irr (PW) Dept, dt. 10-12-1984.
2. G.O. Ms. No. 15, I&CAD (PW-COD) Dept, dt. 9-2-1995.

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ORDER:

Government have, for sometime, been considering the need for modification contract rules, standardization and streamling of sanctioning and tendering procedure orders were issued in G.O. Ms. No. 15, I&CAD (PW COD) Dept., dt. 9-2-1995 constituting committee of experts to examine the streamling of tendering procedure with a view introduce comprehensive reforms in works departments of the state Government, since inadequacies in the existing procedure are resulting in adoption of unfair methods by some the contractors at the time of tendering, low quality of work, avavoidable, litigation and malpractice . Accordingly the report submitted by the said committee was examined in detailed in a series of meetings by this department which was attended by representatives of other departments, including Engineers-in-Chief & Chief Engineers.

2. As it observed that the existing monetary limits fixed for the registration of contractors vide G.O. Ms. No. 521 Irr (PW) Dept, dt. 10-12-1984 are not sufficient, Government after careful consideration, issue the following orders.

1) The revised monetary limits for the registration of contractors shall be as indicated below.

Monetary limits			
Sl. No.	Class of Contractor	Existing	Revised
1.	Special Class	Above Rs. 100,00 lakhs	Above Rs. 500,00 lakhs
2.	Class I	Rs. 30,100 lakhs	Rs. 100-500 lakhs
3.	Class II	Rs. 10-10 lakhs	Rs. 40-100 lakhs
4.	Class III	Rs. 5-10 lakhs	Rs. 10-40 lakhs
5.	Class IV	Rs. 1-5 lakhs	Rs. 2-10 lakhs
6.	Class V	Upto 1.00 lakh	Up to Rs. 2.00 lakhs

ii) It is directed that a regular review of registered contractors once a year shall be conducted by a separate cell for wooding out, demoting and black listing of defaulting contractors. Special attention will be paid through computerized information system for observing the performance of contractor's upto and including class III. Identity cards will be issued to the contractors, by the registering authority.

iii) It is further directed that a higher class contractor also shall be allowed to tender for works falling in lower class (es), without getting himself registered in the lower category.

3. This order issues with the concurrence of Finance and Planning (Projects Wing) Department vide their U.O No. SP No. 619/F6 (1)/97-1 dt. 23-7-1997.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA
PRADESH)

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